Enjoy your research experience
...as much as is humanly possible

Study and Learning Centre
Research consumes TIME…

- Understanding and learning discourse/culture
- literature search
- reading and note-making
- mapping the ‘terrain’
- ethics approval
- research frameworks/models/methods
- thinking
- writing your way into the research
- writing journal articles, conference papers
- house-keeping (finding & documenting stuff!)
- setting up experiments
- analysing data
- avoiding study etc. etc.

You may feel isolated…

Don’t do it all alone

• Talk to other researchers at RMIT.
• Connect with researchers in your field.
• Create a research writing group (for talk about research and writing).
• Build a strong working relationship with your supervisor.
• Use the Study and Learning Centre services.
Study and Learning Centre (SLC) advice:

• planning and writing thesis sections
• planning and writing conference papers and journal articles
• efficient purposeful reading
• critical engagement with the literature
• time management and goal setting
• critical note-making
• academic writing style
• English grammar and speaking
• building referencing skills
• presentation skills – conference papers and posters
SLC Services

- Setting up research writing groups
- Drop-in service
- Individual appointments
- Workshops
- English Ready Centre (City)
- Learning Lab (online)
Study and Learning Centre

The SLC provides free study and learning advice in:

- assignment writing, thesis writing and study skills advice
- maths and physics development
- English language development.

Our free services include:

**Drop-in learning centres**

Drop-in to the Study and Learning Centre for:

- assignment writing and study skills advice
- English language development
- maths, physics and chemistry skills.

**English language development**

- [Improve your English and communication skills](#)
- [Study Ready programs (for international students)](#)

**Study KnowHow academic skills workshops**

[Book here](#)

Build your assignment writing and reading skills and practise some referencing techniques.

**Online resources**

- [Learning Lab](#) is a collection of web-based resources including tip sheets and interactive tutorials on study skills, writing, English language development and maths
- [Ask an Adviser](#) for online assistance
- [StudySmart](#) is an online introduction to tertiary study for those new to RMIT
These resources cover some of the study and writing requirements at postgraduate level.

Use the navigation bar on the left to access the different types of tasks and their resources. The resources may include interactive tutorials, videos, and printable handouts.
SLC locations

★ City Campus:
  Building 12, Level 4, Room 20
  Building 80, Level 3, Room 17

★ Bundoora West Campus:
  Building 202 Level 3, Room 03 (Student Services)

★ Brunswick Campus:
  Building 514, Level 1, Off the cafe

www.rmit.edu.au/studyandlearningcentre
Don’t be caught off guard – Plan NOW!